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SUMMARY: SHIFT IN CONGRESSIONAL STRENGTH TOWARD RURAL CANDIDATES
SUPPORTED BY CNC& MORE EMPHASIS ON CANDIDATES WITH STRONG LOCAL
TIES. COSIO VIDAURRI WILL LEAD JALISCO DELEGATION. END OF
SUMMARY.

THE NOMINATING CONVENTIONS OF THE PARTIDO REVOLUCIONARIO
INSTITUCIONAL (PRI) WAS HELD IN JALISCO ON FEBRUARY 14 AND THE
FOLLOWING CANDIDATES WERE CHOSEN:
FOR SENATORS:

1) JOSE MARIA MARTINEZ RODRIGUEZ

ALTERNATE (SUPLENTE): MARIA GUADALUPE MARTINEZ DE HERNANDEZ LOZA

2) LIC. ARNULFO VILLASENOR SAAVEDRA

ALTERNATE: LIC. REYES RODOLFO FLORES ZARAGOZA

FOR CONGRESSMEN (DIPUTADOS):

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DISTRICT 1 (GUADALAJARA) LIC. GUILLERMO COSIO VIDAURRI

ALTERNATE: LIC. JAIME ALBERTO RAMIREZ GIL

DISTRICT 2 (GUADALAJARA) REYNALDO DUENAS VILLASENOR

ALTERNATE: LIC. AGAPITO ISAAC LOPEZ

DISTRICT 3 (GUADALAJARA) FELIX FLORES GOMEZ

ALTERNATE: ANTONIO BRAMBILA MEDA

DISTRICT 4 (GUADALAJARA) LIC. PORFIRIO CORTES SILVA

ALTERNATE: LIC. RICARDO MORENO DELGADO

DISTRICT 5 (COLOTLAN) JOSE MENDOZA PADILLA

ALTERNATE: GABRIEL PONCE MIRANDA

DISTRICT 6 (LAGOS DE MORENO) RIGOBERTO GONZALEZ QUEZADA

ALTERNATE: SALVADOR HUERTA HERRERA

DISTRICT 7 (YAHUALICA) MARIA REFUGIO CASTILLON CORONADO

ALTERNATE: VACANT

DISTRICT 8 (LA BARCA) LIC. RICARDO CHAVEZ PEREZ

ALTERNATE: JUAN VALDIVIA GOMEZ

DISTRICT 9 (JOCOTEPEC) MARIA GUADALUPE URZUA FLORES

ALTERNATE: RAUL JUAREZ VALENCIA

DISTRICT 10 (CIUDAD GUZMAN) FRANCISCO JAVIER SANTILLAN

ALTERNATE: LORENZO ZEPEDA URIBE

DISTRICT 11 (AUTLAN) HECTOR FRANCISCO JIMENEZ

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ALTERNATE: GREGORIO VELEZ MONTE

DISTRICT 12 (AMECA) RAFAEL GONZALEZ PIMIENTA

ALTERNATE: ANTONIO ZEPEDA PACHECO

DISTRICT 13 (GUADALAJARA) ING. ALBERTO MORA LOPEZ

ALTERNATE: DR. MIGUEL NARANJO GRANDA

COSIO VIDAURRI, FORMER MAYOR OF GUADALAJARA AND A STRONG CONTENDER TO BE GOVERNOR OF JALISCO, WILL BE THE LEADER OF THE JALISCO DELEGATION OF DEPUTIES. ANOTHER IMPORTANT LEADER WILL BE MORA LOPEZ, AT PRESENT THE CHIEF OF GUADALAJARA'S TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT (TRANSITO). COMPARED TO THREE YEARS AGO WHEN THREE DEPUTIES WERE FROM LABOR, TWO FROM THE RURAL SECTOR, THREE FROM CNOP, THREE APPOINTED BY CONTACTS IN MEXICO CITY, ONE FROM THE FEG, AND ONE BY THE GOVERNOR, THIS TIME THERE ARE ONLY TWO SUPPORTED BY THE LABOR SECTOR, FIVE FROM THE RURAL SECTOR, THREE FROM THE CNOP, ONE FROM THE FEG, ONE FROM CITY GOVERNMENT, AND ONE FROM MEXICO CITY. THE GOVERNOR'S FRIEND IS ALSO ONE OF THOSE SUPPORTED BY THE CNOP. IT SEEMS THAT THE IMPORTANCE OF LOCAL TIES RATHER THAN MEXICO CITY SUPPORTERS, AND OF RURAL CONNECTIONS MORE THAN LABOR OR POPULAR GROUP SUPPORT WERE THE PRINCIPAL FACTORS FOR CHOOSING THE MAJORITY OF THE CANDIDATES THIS TIME.

AN AIRGRAM WITH MORE DETAILS ON EACH CANDIDATE FOLLOWS. SEPARATE MESSAGES FOR CANDIDATES FROM COLIMA, AGUASCALIENTES, ZACATECAS, MICHOACAN AND GUANAJUATO WILL BE SENT AS MORE COMPLETE INFORMATION IS OBTAINED.
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